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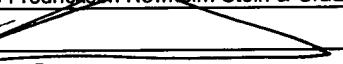
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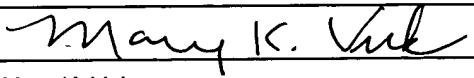
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Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this communication; and

Remarks in support of patentability begin on page 5 of this communication.